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the specification of which (check one) is attached hereto.		
was filed on September	r 14, 1999	as
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

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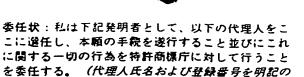
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Declared in Tokyo, Japan

This 20th day of December, 1999

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